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ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD

SUMMARY RECORD OF THE 6th MEETING

Held at Headquarters, New York,
on Tuesday, 23 February 1993, at 3 p.m.

Chairman: Mr. SAGUIER CABALLERO (Paraguay)

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The meeting was called to order at 3.20 p.m.

ELECTION OF FIVE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 43 OF THE CONVENTION ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (CRC/SP/9 and Addenda) (continued)

1. The CHAIRMAN recalled that, since only three candidates had obtained the required absolute majority for election as members of the Committee, a second ballot, restricted to four candidates, would be held to fill the remaining places, in accordance with rule 15 of the rules of procedure (CRC/SP/L.1).

2. At the invitation of the Chairman, Mr. Issa (Egypt) and Mr. Rosenberg (Ecuador) acted as tellers.

3. A vote was taken by secret ballot.

Number of ballot papers:	119
Invalid ballots:	0
Number of valid ballots:	119
Abstentions:	9
Number of members voting:	119
Required majority:	60

Number of votes obtained:

Mrs. Eufemio:	65
Mr. Mombeshora:	63
Miss Rilantono:	52
Mrs. Fall Sow:	48

4. Having obtained the required majority, Mrs. Eufemio and Mr. Mombeshora, were elected members of the Committee on the Rights of the Child.

OTHER MATTERS

5. Mr. WRBA (Austria) said that his delegation wished to exress its strongest reservations concerning the participation of representatives of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro) in the meeting.

6. Mr. KOVAČIČ (Slovenia) said that his delegation supported the statements made by the representative of Austria and speakers at the previous meeting regarding the participation of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro) in the meeting.

7. Mrs. MLADINEO (Croatia) said that, in the light of the substance of the Convention on the Rights of the Child, her delegation strongly believed that the participation of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia in the meeting should be considered in line with the position taken by the Commission on Human Rights.

8. Mr. FRANCIS (Australia) said that his delegation wished to express its reservations regarding the participation of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia in the meeting.

The meeting rose at 4.20 p.m.